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Docket No. 103864.133 US2

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Rice et al.

Serial No. 10/777,126

Filed: February 13, 2004

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Confirmation No.: 3810

Group Art Unit: 3651

Examiner: Khoi H. Tran

For: AUTOMATED PRESCRIPTION FILLING SYSTEM/METHOD WITH  
AUTOMATED LABELING AND PACKAGING SYSTEM/METHOD AND  
AUTOMATED ORDER CONSOLIDATION SYSTEM/METHOD

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22213-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22213-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2004 for three months, from January 18, 2005 to April 18, 2005.

Please charge the \$1,020.00 fee to cover the cost of the extension to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

Respectfully submitted,

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